

communicate my Sentiments thereon to the Secretary of State in hopes that some  
thing would have been done in order to put an End to the Dispute between the two  
Houses but as the Censure contained in the Earl of Egremont's last Letter is in pretty  
general Words the Lower House presumed or pretended to believe that it was not  
intended at them & adhered to the Measures which had been before pursued, & am  
inclined to believe that in such Measures they will persevere unless when they may  
be called on to grant Supplies <sup>for His Majesty's Service</sup> it shall be signified to them in what manner they  
must be raised or levied. Hoping Your Excellency will not doubt but I have  
used my utmost Endeavours to prevail on the Assembly to act at this time a very  
different part & extremely concerned at their Non-compliance with Your Excel-  
lency's Requisitions I beg leave to repeat that I am with the greatest Regard

To S.<sup>r</sup> Jeffery Amherst. Annapolis the 10<sup>th</sup> of May 1762

Sir  
I cannot acknowledge the Receipt of the Letter Your Excellency was pleased  
to favour me with the 17<sup>th</sup> of last Month without returning You Thanks for  
Your Compliance with my Request on behalf of Lieut. Col. Dagworthy & D. Hope  
in causing their Business to be dispatched as soon as possible. Upon their Arrival  
here two Days ago with the Dollars which were paid to the former in pursuance  
of Your Excellency's Warrant for the Arrears of Pay due to the Officers & Men  
who composed the Maryland Troops I ordered an Advertisement to be publish-  
ed in the New York Pennsylvania Maryland & Virg. Gazettes notifying to all  
persons who may have a Right to receive any Part of the Money that the above  
mentioned Gentlemen will in the Month of July next attend here at a conve-  
nient place in another part of the Province in order to satisfy the respective Claims  
of such Persons, & in case all the Officers & Men to whom such Arrears of Pay be-  
came due or Persons properly authorized to receive for such as may be absent  
should not attend at the times & places mentioned in this Advertisement farther